

Varied Fluency

Step 6: Recognising 'Or'

National Curriculum Objectives:

English Year 1: (1G3.3) [Joining words and joining clauses using 'and'](#)

English Year 1: (1G3.1) [How words can combine to make sentences](#)

English Year 2: (2G3.3) [Co-ordination \(using or, and, or but\)](#)

Terminology for pupils:

- (1G6) [word](#)
- (1G3.1) [sentence](#)

Differentiation:

Developing Questions to support recognising 'or' to join two options (one word only) together in a sentence. Using CVC and CCVC/CVCC words, as well as Year 1 common exception words and high frequency words.

Expected Questions to support recognising 'or' to join two options (more than one word) together in a sentence.

Greater Depth Questions to support recognising 'or' to join two or more options together in the same sentence. Includes the use of groups of sentences (short paragraphs).

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Recognising 'Or'

1a. Circle the conjunction in the sentence below.

Do you like cats or dogs?



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Recognising 'Or'

1b. Circle the conjunction in the sentence below.

Has it been hot or cold today?



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2a. True or false? The conjunction 'or' can be used after the word 'you'.

Can you hop skip?



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2b. True or false? The conjunction 'or' can be used after the word 'the'.

Is the mat wet not?



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3a. Cross out the 'or' that doesn't make sense in the sentence below.

I do not like or jam or ham.



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3b. Cross out the 'or' that doesn't make sense in the sentence below.

You can push or pull the or door.



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4a. Tick the sentence that uses 'or' correctly.

Is or your cat fat thin?

☐

You can or run jump.

☐

Do you like fish or frogs?

☐

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4b. Tick the sentence that uses 'or' correctly.

Did you go out or stay in?

☐

Will or you say yes no?

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Did the ball go or up down?

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Recognising 'Or'

5a. Circle the conjunction in the sentence below.

You can go to the park or you can stay at home.



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5b. Circle the conjunction in the sentence below.

You can wear the red top or the green top.



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6a. True or false? The conjunction 'or' can be used after the word 'your'.

Is that your book is it mine?



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6b. True or false? The conjunction 'or' can be used after the word 'carrots'.

Do you like peas carrots to eat?



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7a. Cross out the 'or' that doesn't make sense in the sentence below.

Todd will write to you or ring you next or week.



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7b. Cross out the 'or' that doesn't make sense in the sentence below.

Mum or will walk with you to school or take you in the car.



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8a. Tick the sentence that uses 'or' correctly.

Is or it Monday Tuesday today?

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You can paint play or outside.

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Do you like water or milk to drink?

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8b. Tick the sentence that uses 'or' correctly.

Do or you like the gym karate after school club?

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Is it your turn to read is it or his?

☐

You can read a book or write a card.

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Recognising 'Or'

9a. Circle the conjunction in the sentence below.

Did you play football or have a skipping race in the playground yesterday?



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9b. Circle the conjunction in the sentence below.

Was it the wind that blew our tent out of the garden or did someone take it?



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10a. True or false? The conjunction 'or' can be used after the word 'draw'.

If you have finished your work you can draw a picture read a book quietly. Then you can play.



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10b. True or false? The conjunction 'or' can be used after the word 'party'.

You can wear your new blue top your old green jumper to the party this afternoon. It is your choice.



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11a. Cross out the 'or' that doesn't make sense in the sentence below.

Do you go to your or swimming lesson on Tuesdays or is it karate club after school? I do not remember.



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11b. Cross out the 'or' that doesn't make sense in the sentence below.

At the funfair did you enjoy the rides or the clown doing funny tricks or most? My favourite was the 'hook a duck' game.



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12a. Tick the sentence that uses 'or' correctly.

Would you like to visit my house or today tomorrow? ☐

Do you or like hot chocolate to drink a cold milkshake? ☐

A fox will hunt its prey or look for food in bins. ☐



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12b. Tick the sentence that uses 'or' correctly.

Shall or we go to the cinema try ten pin bowling today? ☐

Is the old castle spooky or is it just my imagination? ☐

Are you ready to go do you need a bit more or time? ☐



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Developing

- 1a. Do you like cats **or** dogs?
- 2a. **False. Or should go after hop.**
- 3a. I do not like ~~or~~ jam or ham.
- 4a. **Do you like fish or frogs?**

Expected

- 5a. You can go to the park **or** you can stay at home.
- 6a. **False. Or should go after book.**
- 7a. Todd will write to you or ring you next ~~or~~-week.
- 8a. **Do you like water or milk to drink?**

Greater Depth

- 9a. Did you play football **or** have a skipping race in the playground yesterday?
- 10a. **False. Or should go after picture.**
- 11a. Do you go to your ~~or~~ swimming lesson on Tuesdays or is it karate club after school?
- 12a. **A fox will hunt its prey or look for food in bins.**

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Developing

- 1b. Has it been hot **or** cold today?
- 2b. **False. Or should go after wet.**
- 3b. You can push or pull the ~~or~~ door.
- 4a. **Did you go out or stay in?**

Expected

- 5b. You can wear the red top **or** the green top.
- 6b. **False. Or should go after peas.**
- 7b. Mum ~~or~~ will walk with you to school or take you in the car.
- 8b. **You can read a book or write a card.**

Greater Depth

- 9b. Was it the wind that blew our tent out of the garden **or** did someone take it?
- 10b. **False. Or should go after top.**
- 11b. At the funfair did you enjoy the rides or the clown doing funny tricks ~~or~~ most?
- 12b. **Is the old castle spooky or is it just my imagination?**